

# Consistently Excellent!

## 82% passing rate for UC's first BSN graduates

### UC is 9th nationwide - PRC master list of composite passing percentages

### 162 new UC nurses; 41.7% of all Baguio passers

With the University of the Cordilleras (UC) first venture in the Nurse licensure exams resulting in a stunning 82% passing percentage, UC emerged as the number 9 school of nursing nationwide, according to the PRC master list of composite passing percentages of schools with 100 or more examinees. UC-BCF also emerged as the top nursing school in Baguio City & CAR, in the category of schools with 100 or more examinees. A Board of nursing member said that UC's first-time 82% passing rate also ranks second (2nd) only to Siliman University's first-time 99% passing rate in the category of school first time results.

Based on the official release of the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC), 162 fresh graduates of UC passed the nursing board out of 198 or a high passing rate of 82% almost twice the average national passing rate of 49.09%.

UC has the highest number of passers (162 passers of 388 Baguio passers from 5 Baguio schools) among first time examination takers.

"We took a calculated risk with an open admission system and our students led us to a stunning result," UC's chairman of the Board Jesus Benjamin D. Salvosa said.

"To pass four out of five from our first BSN graduates in UC's very first venture in the nursing examinations is a gift, a blessing of special proportions. This one rates a historic high in the annals of UC-BCF. We are all very grateful and we give thanks," Salvosa added.

The PRC also ranked UC as the number 9 top nursing school in the country with over 100 examinees despite UC being a newcomer in the nursing school, graduating their pioneer nurses last October 2006.

Statistics on first time takers obtained from PRC

UC has requested the PRC to consider the inclusion of two (2) UC examinees, namely Maureen Agyao Aquino and Milford Addog Umayat who took the test in Manila and passed but were not included in the PRC-CAR masterlist. This will increase UC passers to 164 and correspondingly elevate the UC ranking to number 8 nationwide at 83 percent passing rate.

revealed that the 162 UC passers represent 41.7% of the 388 first time takers who passed the board coming from the five nursing institutions in Baguio city.

"We allow students to show their value and capability without shutting the door of opportunity", Chairman Salvosa explained.

The high performance of UC's nursing graduates was also attributed by the OIC President Atty. Reynaldo U. Agranzamendez to the sustained quality of education in all courses and the demonstration of unqualified support to their graduates.

"We are one cohesive unit as a family and we give full support to our graduates specially those taking the board examinations", the school president said.

Chairman Salvosa and President Agranzamendez congratulated the graduates of UC college of nursing faculty led by Dean Catalina B. Alinduzza, who accordingly are "the standard bearers" in the preparation of professional nurses.

A thanksgiving prayer service was held Wednesday at the UC theater for the stunning success of the first batch of UC College of Nursing graduates.

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Republic of the Philippines  
**PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION**  
Manila

Nurse Licensure Examinations  
conducted December 2&3, 2006

A. With 100 and more over-all number of examinees\*  
(composite passing percentages)

RANK	SCHOOL	TOTAL NO. OF EXAM.	TOTAL NO. PASSED	% PASSED
1	Xavier Universtiy	147	147	100%
2	Siliman University	258	255	99%
3	Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Maynila	313	307	98%
4	Central Philippine University	373	349	94%
	Saint Paul College of Dumaguete	104	98	94%
5	Saint Paul University- Tuguegarao	239	220	92%
6	Cebu Doctors University	152	136	89%
7	San Pedro College - Davao City	495	424	86%
8	Ateneo De Davao University	316	261	83%
9	Mariano Marcos State University - Batac	177	146	82%
	<b>University of the Cordilleras</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>82%</b>
10	Metropolitan Hospital School of Nursing	114	89	78%
11	Far Eastern University - Manila	399	308	77%
	University of San Agustin	440	339	77%
12	Holy Name University - Div Word Tagbilaran	131	95	73%
13	Ateneo De Zamboanga	152	107	70%
	Manila Central University-Caloocan	176	123	70%
	University of Cebu	335	234	70%
14	Our Lady of Fatima University - Valenzuela	1384	946	68%
	University of San Carlos	137	93	68%
15	Angeles Universtiy Foundn	108	72	67%
	Father Saturnino Urios University	200	133	67%
	University of Saint La Salle	126	84	67%
16	University of Perpetual Help System - Laguna	214	139	65%
17	Liceo De Cagayan University	424	267	63%
18	Universidad De Santa Isabel	301	188	62%
	University of Perpetual Help Rizal- Las Pinas	193	119	62%
19	Our Lady of Fatima College - QC	1033	632	61%
20	Southwestern University	504	300	60%

\*Downloaded from [www.prc.gov.ph](http://www.prc.gov.ph). Ranked, collated & organized from the PRC master list of composite passing percentages of schools.

## UC's 162 New Nurses

Evyllinda Caplas Abalos  
Christian Salvador Abande  
Maricel Salibad Alcedo  
Rizza Calpotura Agranzamendez  
Rosca Sinas Akia  
Jocelyn Bacoco Alban  
Graziella Mae Orque Albano  
Maricel Salibad Alcedo  
Mervin McDonald Allaga Ali  
Ronilyn Goway Alimbias  
Femia Depaynos Alostete  
Luisa Lou Daiwey Amwao  
Evelyn del Rosario Andrada  
Hanna Lee Hull Antonio  
Maureen Agyao Aquino  
Alimar Baskial Aquino  
Keevin Mangaltag Aroco  
Warlene Mendoza Ayban  
Karen Anne Bañez Ayugat  
Karen Joy Carias Azul  
Michael Bravo Bacani  
Joyce Bangcolen Badecao  
Esther Balangue Bading  
Oyangwa Johnrey Balisong Bagni  
Nielborn Cuadli Baguiwa  
Chuckie Grace Bernal Balanban  
Carol Wag-iyen Ballucan  
Ivy Bawa-an Bangyay  
Kira Lamay Baniaga  
Stella Marie Pacurza Barber  
Jocelyn Tabafunda Barongan  
Jessica Aerial Wanawan Bato  
Doris Dee Saluquen Batoon  
Ma. Leizl Ilagan Baylouis  
Karen Aquino Behis  
Jennifer Lopez Benter  
Dennis Paul Borromeo Birondo  
Maureen Wansi Bog-acon  
Zyra Gale Calugan Boleyley  
Judy Ruth Siw-angan Budaden  
Maria Suzette Cabucana Budao  
Eloisa Bautista Buenavista  
Nadia Badongen Bugtong  
Riyah Ganase Cabigting  
Joyce Liwanag Cachola  
Pepsi Castillo Calaguig  
Louise Antonette Narcida Calavera  
Mario Soriano Calicdan Jr.  
Maria Jessica Bayog Calonge

Maria Kathrina Bayog Calonge  
Alma Marie Maliones Caluza  
Mimi Iris Sacla Casaldo  
Romalyn Bayan Casem  
Allan Teodoro Castro  
Ronald Rimando Catabay  
Lalaine Kate Pudlao Chan  
Eva Pakeo Col-ing  
Francynate Anosan Colingey  
Victor Talaro Dango Jr.  
Blancaflor Nanglihan Dapis  
Debraliz Pulanco David  
Neil Rose Oredina de Guzman  
Reindelle Vernadette  
Banzuela Diansen  
Leodegario In-nahog Dida  
Marlon Barcena Dispo  
Angelita Dulay Domondon  
Eunice Sap-at Dongalan  
Kenneth Guledew Dulnuan  
Lorraine Immoliap Dulnuan  
Rafael Paleng Emilio  
Joven Roy Ednalaguim Esmele  
Corazon Bangliyan Estangki  
Marisol Cabanting Fabros  
Niña Vanessa Quero Farnacio  
Chris Angela Alviar Felipe  
Jane Saleo Flores  
Melody Ong Flores  
Sharjah Rose Fontanilla Floria  
Rochelle Grace Balbin Gacula  
Joanna Crista Florendo Gaerlan  
Ronald Espejo Galiste  
Jaydee Calde Gaokin  
Richard Iane Ramos Garcia  
Muriel Bao-et Gas-ib  
Espirita Mangayeng Gayao  
Zarahemla Esguerra Gayo  
Shane Jucar Genetiano  
Joshua Ong Gillego  
FloraMarie Tham Anay Godeloson  
Jan Irwin Soriano Gonzales  
Edna Castro Gutierrez  
Annalee Pulac Hidalgo  
Evelyn Morillo Ignacio  
Bryan George Velasco Javier  
Roula Apilado Jose  
Jasmine Wagayan Kang-owan  
Mariete Faith Benigen Kawi

Francis Soria Khayad Jr.  
Henry Ablir Kidpalos  
Joseph Stewart Bandaay Laging  
Rizza Joy Balamban Licayayo  
Kerry Vince Nabehet Loman  
Rowena Oriente Lopez  
Dominador Estoesta Lorenzana Jr.  
Rose Dampulay Luis  
Hyzel Lumague Mabalot  
Nathalie Padsican Malabato  
Jill Locloc Maliones  
Roxanne Angelica Palisoc Manalo  
Johnray Resurreccion Manao  
Novy Likigan Mangomoc  
Vanessa Angela Morena Mariñas  
Maria Catalina Sevilla Marita  
Leangle Felarca Marmeto  
Michael John Mendoza Maspil Jr.  
Maria Ana Cuaresma Miranda  
Abigail Chinayo Nobres  
Renato Matusalem Nortado  
Mark Noel Madarang Ocreto  
Jenny Sacla Ogalde

Adrienne Caccam Olairaz  
Maria Sheila Bejeran Olivarez  
Caroline Pudlao Omo  
Elaine Pagador Ordoño  
Lorie Marie Sorio Pablo  
Roxanne Felix Pacio  
Adelina Lumiweh Padawil  
Jeferson Wanason Pagao  
Allan Estacio Paloma  
Magdalena Madadsek Pangog  
Vidalyn Valdez Panlilio  
Emma Lyn Mendoza Paraginog  
Bonalyn Tabernilla Partoriza  
Michelle Tingbaoen Pedaso  
Marvin Celestino Permison  
April Joy Igo Polon  
Mary Nathalie Antonio Posugan  
Jackson Batiagao Puyongan  
Desiree Anne Dilla Quiambao  
Shailer Abito Quinomis  
Felicisima Palor Ramos  
Christine dela Cruz Reaño  
Claudine Jill Aquino Rivera

Renato Awini Sabiano  
Maureen Baguilat Salda  
Lorraine Kate Ayubo Sally  
Beverly Balbines Santos  
Evangeline Munar Santos  
Rosalie Seguin Santos  
Heston Meris Sial  
Sarah Jane Palgue Smith  
Daniel Langcao Solang  
Rizzamil Arce Soriano  
Cheryl Batulog Te-elan  
Marilyn Fajardo Tenorio  
Moore Luck Cayading Trinidad  
Marivic Buyagawan Tundagui  
Annalyn Melano Ulanday  
Eugene Flor Lindawan Ulpindo  
Milford Addog Umayat  
Jennifer Marie Garcia Velasco  
Jasmine Lorelie Caluza Flores-Visaya  
Fairelyn Carreon William  
Athoschiely Marie Abuan Yaranon

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. . . to guide the lives of our students.

